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TOPIC Merchant Shipping on the Danube River

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REFERENCES

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REMARKS

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25X1 1. shipping traffic on the Danube River between Vienna and Reni (45°26'N/28°18'E) during the period from 25 February to 28 March 1952:

Name of Tug	Type of Tug	Nationality	Number of Tow Barges
<u>Bradlo</u>	motor tug	Czechoslovakia	four tank barges and four cargo barges.
<u>Crisan</u>	"	Rumania	four tank barges.
no designation	"	Bulgarian	four tank barges and six cargo barges.
<u>Kasan</u>	"	U.S.S.R.	six cargo barges.
<u>Moria</u>	"	Rumania	four cargo barges.
<u>Krasnovodsk</u>	"	U.S.S.R.	five cargo barges.
<u>Komzomolsk</u>	"	"	six cargo barges.
<u>Nitra</u>	"	"	six cargo barges.
<u>Bal haz</u>	"	"	seven cargo barges.
<u>Lvov</u>	"	"	seven cargo barges.
<u>Omsh</u>	"	"	six cargo barges.
<u>Lehel</u>	"	"	four cargo barges.
<u>Cernigov</u>	steam tug	Rumania	six cargo barges.
<u>Taman</u>	motor tug	U.S.S.R.	seven cargo barges.
<u>Mohacs</u>	"	Hungary	seven cargo barges.
<u>Iasi</u>	steam tug	Rumania	four cargo tugs.
<u>Kraznodar</u>	motor tug	U.S.S.R.	-
<u>Ismail</u>	paddle motor tug	"	six cargo barges.
<u>Irkutsk</u>	motor tug	"	six cargo barges.
<u>Smolensk</u>	"	Rumania	five cargo barges.

25X1 Comment. The Tugs Taman and Crisan were previously reported.

25X1 Tug Ismail was powered by a 1,400 HP engine, was 24 meters long with a beam of 16 meters and a draught of 1.30 meters, and had a crew of 18 men. The Ismail was built in Komarno, Czechoslovakia, in 1948.

25X1 Tug Kraznovodsk was the former Italian Vessel Piemont.

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